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NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET-AT-A-GLANCE

DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS



Trade sentiment on frozen hens and consumer sized toms steady to firm. Demand slow to instances moderate. Supplies short to light and held with confidence. The trade sentiment on fresh white meat items steady to fully with tenderloins firm. Frozen white meat was steady to fully steady with frozen scapula barely steady to weak. Demand on fresh white meat moderate to good, frozen white meat slow to moderate. Supplies of fresh white meat light to adequate, frozen mixed. The market tone on rib breasts was steady to fully steady. Demand light to moderate for the irregular offers.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trading slow. Light trading and demand for the irregular supplies.

SAN FRANCISCO TURKEYS (CENTS PER LB)		LOS ANGELES PROCESSED TURKEYS (CEI	NTS PER LB)	
DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITUTIONS		DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITUTIONS		
	RANGE		RANGE	
TURKEYS Y HENS	129-140	FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	90-91	
TURKEYS Y TOMS UNDER 22#	125-140	FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 28# & UP	91-92	
TURKEYS Y TOMS 22-24#	125-140	BREASTS 10-12#	180-190	
TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-26#	125-140	COOKED ROLLS 60/40% 9# & UP		
TURKEYS Y TOMS 26 LBS & OVER	125-140			
		DELIVERED TO RETAILERS	RANGE	
		FRESH TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	99-108	
		FRESH TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	99-108	
		FROZEN TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	90	
		FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	90	
		FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	90-91	

WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN 1/, CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS) SEPT 10, 2007

CURRENT SHIPMENTS 2/				FORWARD SHIPMENTS 6/			OPEN COMMITMENTS 7/		
	OFFERS	SALES	WTD AVG	VOLUME (000)	WTD AVG	VOLUME (000)	DEL. PER	VOLUME (000)	DEL PER
8-16 LB HENS				` ,		, ,		, ,	
EASTERN REGION 3	/ 91-93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION 4	91-93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5	5/ 91-93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16-24 LB TOMS	91-93	_	-	-	-	-	_	-	-
CENTRAL REGION	90-93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION	91-94	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_

^{1/} May include product stored at temperatures in range of 1 to 25 degrees F. 2/ Includes product priced for shipment within 14 days.
3/ Includes product with 3 percent broth basting. 4/ Includes product with 3-6 percent broth basting. 5/ Includes product swith 6 percent broth basting. 6/ Includes product committed for pricing during the previous 24 hours but shipment in more than 14 days from date of commitment. 7/ Includes product committed during previous 24 hours at prices to be determined at later date.

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NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS, INCLUDING BULK MEAT and FROZEN (UNLESS SPECIFIED), CENTS PER LB., DELIVERED FIRST RECEIVERS, PART AND FULL TRUCKLOTS AS OF 10 SEPTEMBER 2007.

The market tone on fresh white items steady to fully steady, frozen scapula was barely steady to weak. Fresh and frozen white meat demand moderate to good for the closely balanced supplies. The trade sentiment on rib breasts was steady to fully steady for the light to moderate buyer interest. Supplies adequate to instances barely adequate. Frozen whole breast feature activity at higher average prices. Ads on boneless white parts of all types are common and at higher asking prices.

DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/ BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE AFRESH 2/ BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/ DRUMSTICKS, TOM DRUMSTICKS, TOMFRESH DRUMSTICKS, HEN WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM	56.00-58.00	R F F F R	150.00 115.18 59.33 56.75 58.00 48.20 47.00	26 199 121 160 20 202 6
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN NECKS, TOM NECKS, HEN BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/ BREASTS, B/S, TOMFRESH 3/ THIGH MEAT THIGH MEAT-FRESH BREAST TRIM MEAT SCAPULA MEAT WING MEAT WITH SKIN TENDERLOINS DESTRAPPED TENDERS DESTRAPPED TENDERSFRESH MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/	249.50 289.00	F R R R	56.50 55.00 249.50 289.00 95.00 136.00 90.00	80 6 80 20 117 40 80
MECHANICALLY SEPARATEDFRESH 4/ EXPORT TRADING DRUMSTICKS, TOMS		F R	20.12	415
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM TAILS MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/ THIGH MEAT - FROZEN	49.50	F F F	49.50 59.50 25.50 18.00 87.86	40 104 104 80 280

^{1/} CODES FOR LAST SIGNIFICANT TRADE (L.S.T.):

M=MONDAY T=TUESDAY W=WEDNESDAY R=THURSDAY F=FRIDAY

^{2/} Breasts are bagged; rib, back, and wing meat included; and basted.

^{3/} Boneless and skinless without tenderloins.

^{4/ 15-20%} fat with skin added.